GUIDE TO THE OA14 CENTRAL BISAYAN FILE

[The OA14 Central Bisayan file deals with the Bisayan (Visayan) of the central Philippines, particularly with the present inhabitants of the island of Negros. The file is a subfile of the OA1 Philippines file and the 116 text category for sources in the OA14 Central Bisayan file will be found in the OA1 Philippines file. The file is focused on the Cebuano community of Barrio Caticugan, located in Siaton municipality in Negros Oriental Province. It is basically a one-source file (20: Hart) with only incidental materials coming from other sources. Hart studied this community in 1951 with his research directed mainly to the study of technology, but with information on many other subjects. This is a small file, with materials missing from a number of categories. However, it is well-focused in time and place and should be useful for some research purposes. The file was processed in 1955.]